

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

## TRANSCRIPT DESIGNATION FORM

For appeals to the Ninth Circuit United States Court of Appeals; do not use for appeals to the Federal Circuit.

9 <sup>th</sup> Cir. Court of Appeals Case No:	25-5701	Attorney or Pro Se Party Name:	Michael Mix
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District Court Case No(s):	3:23-cv-06492-VC	Email:	mmix@morrisoncohen.com

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

For information about designating transcripts for an appeal before the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, refer to the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, the Ninth Circuit's Local Rules and the instructions below. If you have further questions, contact the Court Reporter Supervisor in the court division in which your case was filed ([cand.uscourts.gov/courtreportercontact](https://cand.uscourts.gov/courtreportercontact)).

- Designate transcripts. Open and read the Minutes document for each proceeding via the links on the ECF docket. To designate a particular proceeding's transcript as part of the record on appeal, enter in the table below: the hearing date, court reporter's name, hearing type and, if you are designating transcripts in multiple case numbers, the case number for this proceeding. One line per proceeding/transcript. If you need more space, complete and attach a second copy of this form. If you are not designating transcripts, proceed to item #4.
- Identify transcripts already ordered. REVIEW the ECF docket sheet to determine which, if any, of the transcripts you have designated, are already e-filed. In the right column of the table, CHECK "yes" and enter the docket number of each designated, e-filed transcript OR "no" for each designated transcript that needs to be ordered. If all transcripts are e-filed, proceed to item #4.
- Order transcripts. For any remaining designated transcripts that have not been e-filed, COMPLETE, separately for each court reporter, a CAND 435 Transcript Order (CJA counsel should instead complete AUTH24 forms and submit them to the CJA Unit). E-FILE each CAND 435 Transcript Order in the U.S. District Court case. In CJA Cases, the CJA Unit will E-FILE the request.

**IMPORTANT:** Transcripts are not considered "ordered" until you have (1) EITHER e-filed a CAND 435 Transcript Order for each court reporter AND (2) made payment arrangements. Unless payment is by the U.S. government, payment arrangements may be deemed made on the date the court reporter receives your deposit check. Therefore, you should contact the court reporter immediately upon e-filing your CAND 435 Transcript Order to make payment arrangements. Please allow at least one week for making payment arrangements.

**IN CJA CASES:** You must submit an AUTH 24 form through the eVoucher system for each court reporter. Payment will be made through the eVoucher system. CJA Counsel should not pay the court reporter directly. Please allow at least one week for processing your AUTH24 form to meet your Court of Appeals deadline for ordering transcripts.

HEARING DATE	COURT REPORTER	HEARING TYPE	CASE NO.	TRANSCRIPT E-FILED? ECF DKT #?
06/27/2024	Stephen W. Franklin	Motion to Dismiss	3:23-cv-06492-VC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # 78 <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.
09/05/2024	Ruth Levine Ekhaus	Motion to Dismiss	3:23-cv-06492-VC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # 108 <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.
08/13/2025	Andrea Bluedorn	Motion to Compel Arbitration and Stay	3:23-cv-06492-VC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # 191 <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.
01/10/2025	Echo Reporting, Inc.	Initial case management conference	3:23-cv-06492-VC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # 152 <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes; Dkt # <input type="checkbox"/> No; I have ordered or will order it.

If you are submitting multiple pages, please complete the blanks at right: Page \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Certify and sign. Check ONE of the following and SIGN at the bottom.

- ☐ I do not intend to designate any portion of the transcript and will notify all counsel of this intention.
- ☒ All designated transcripts are already e-filed in the U.S. District Court case(s) at the docket numbers indicated above.
- ☐ As retained counsel (or litigant proceeding in pro per), I am ordering herewith by e-filing a CAND 435 Transcript Order Form the designated transcripts indicated above and I guarantee payment to the court reporter of the cost thereof.
- ☐ As appointed or Government counsel, I certify that I have ☐ submitted a CJA AUTH24 form in eVoucher or ☐ e-filed a CAND 435 Transcript Order Form and that payment arrangements have been made or will be made today authorizing preparation of the transcript at the expense of the United States. I agree to recommend payment for work done prior to cancellation of this order.

By signing below, I certify that I will order and make payment arrangements today for all transcripts designated on this form not already e-filed.

/s/ Michael Mix

Signature of Attorney or Pro Se Party